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S. 3235

To clarify certain effective date provisions of the Customs Courts Act of 1980.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

DECEMBER 2 (legislative day, NOVEMBER 20), 1980

Mr. ROBERT C. BYRD (for Mr. DECONCINI) introduced the following bill; which
was read twice, considered, read the third time, and passed

A BILL

To clarify certain effective date provisions of the Customs
Courts Act of 1980.

1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 That (a) section 701(a) of the Customs Courts Act of 1980
4 (94 Stat. 1747; 28 U.S.C. 251 note) is amended—

5 (1) by striking out “provided in subsection (b) of”
6 and inserting in lieu thereof “otherwise provided in”;
7 and

8 (2) by adding immediately before the period at the
9 end thereof the following: “and shall apply with re-

1 spect to civil actions pending on or commenced on or
2 after such date”.

3 (b) Section 701 of the Customs Courts Act of 1980 (94
4 Stat. 1747; 28 U.S.C. 251 note) is amended by redesignating
5 subsection (b) as subsection (c) and by inserting immediately
6 after subsection (a) the following new subsection:

7 “(b)(1) The following sections of title 28, United States
8 Code, shall apply with respect to civil actions commenced on
9 or after the effective date of this Act:

10 “(A) Sections 1581(d), 1581(g), 1581(h), 1581(i),
11 and 1583, as amended by section 201 of this Act.

12 “(B) Sections 2631(d), 2631(g), 2631(h), 2631(i),
13 2631(j), 2632(a), 2635, 2636, 2637(c), 2639(b),
14 2640(a)(5), 2640(c), 2640(d), 2643(a), 2643(c)(2),
15 2643(c)(4), and 2644, as amended by section 301 of
16 this Act.

17 “(C) Section 1876, as added by section 302(a) of
18 this Act.

19 “(D) Sections 2601 and 2602, as amended by
20 section 403 of this Act.

21 “(E) Section 1919, as amended by section 510 of
22 this Act.

23 “(F) Section 1963A, as added by section 511(a)
24 of this Act.

1 “(2) Sections 337(c) and 641(b) of the Tariff Act of
2 1930, as amended by sections 604 and 611 of this Act, shall
3 apply with respect to civil actions commenced on or after the
4 effective date of this Act.

5 “(3) Section 284 of the Trade Act of 1974, as added by
6 section 613 of this Act, shall apply with respect to civil ac-
7 tions commenced on or after the effective date of this Act.”.

8 SEC. 2. Section 516A(a)(3) of the Tariff Act of 1930 (19
9 U.S.C. 1516a(a)(3)) is amended by striking out “subsections
10 (b), (c), and (e) of”.

11 SEC. 3. The amendments made by this Act shall be ef-
12 fective as of November 1, 1980.